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HARRISON'S GOOD EXAMPLE.

Carter H. Harrison, four times mayor of Chicago, has again demonstrated his unfitness to stand in a place of power. While he was in office Mr. Harrison repeatedly insisted that the people had a few rights that were not to be taken away from them and that the government was bound and should be forced to respect. Another of his vagaries is that the tax burdens should be shared proportionately by the rich and the poor. And to show that he has not changed his mind since he went out of office, Mr. Harrison recently sent a letter to the tax supervisors of Chicago asking them to raise his personal assessment somewhat like 50 per cent.

"I do not wish," he wrote, "to be thought a wealthy man, but I have been condemning tax dodgers for years, and do not desire to be included in that class now that I have retired to private life."

It is far beyond the pale of probability, even of possibility, that Mr. Harrison's example will be generally followed in Chicago. His own conscience, however, is clear and he has pointed out a way for his fellow citizens to clear their consciences. The tax dodger, like the poor, we are going to have with us as long as the edge of good citizenship is blunted by contact with the dollar. He will evade the payment of his just proportion of the taxes, never considering it a crime because his neighbors do the same thing.

In Salt Lake City are many men who would hoot at the idea of selling their property at its assessed valuation. Many of them would not sell for two of these times their total assessment. Yet these same citizens rank as honest men and they are honest in the sense that they would not deliberately cheat a fellow citizen in a business deal or take money that they knew did not belong to them.

Somehow they reconcile their tax dodging with their idea of honesty, but it is difficult for us to understand how they do it. The evasion of taxes is pure dishonesty. All the argument in the world cannot make it anything else.

GERMAN SMOKE PREVENTION.
Some interesting information regarding the German method of assisting in smoke prevention is given in a report sent to the state department some days ago by Richard Guenther, consul general at Frankfurt. Anti-smoke instruction courses have been established by the German government, and they cover the ground so thoroughly that the evil has almost been eradicated. The system is described by Mr. Guenther in his report.

He says the government, through the ministry of commerce and trade, sends out a trained engineer who stops wherever he may be needed and gives courses of instruction of fourteen days' duration to firemen. These instructions are practical, as well as theoretical. There are technical explanations of methods of smoke prevention and practical demonstrations of the methods. By the time the fireman has completed the course, if he is a man of ordinary intelligence, he has learned how to stoke his furnace in such a way as to produce a minimum of smoke.

The government does not pay all the expenses of this tuition. Each attendant on the classes is required to pay a small fee and these sums, with the money allotted by the government, meet all the cost. But the government does more. It employs expert firemen who are sent about in much the same manner as the engineer. The firemen give advice to owners of plants and to the untrained firemen. And the government bears all the expenses except in cases where the services of the expert are required for considerable periods.

The results have, it is said, exceeded the most sanguine expectations. Germany is not free from the smoke evil, but it much more nearly approaches that happy condition than most cities.

DEPEW SHOULD RETIRE.
A splendid citizen is Senator Chauncey M. Depew—if you don't care whether you adhere strictly to the truth or not. Testifying in the New York insurance department's investigation into the affairs of the Equitable, Senator Depew told of a loan of \$250,000 made by the company to the Depew Improvement company, a corporation in which he was heavily interested. As a member of the board of directors of the Equitable, Senator Depew testified, he voted for this loan, though he said, he regretted his vote, but he was only morally, and not legally bound, he would let the company pocket the loss. For, it should be explained, the property on which the loan of \$250,000 was made was worth at a liberal estimate not more than \$150,000. Chauncey is a fine model to hold up to the young men of the country.

The stockholders in the Equitable are clamoring for his resignation. His New York constituents ought to demand that he resign from the senate. Leaving out the question the fact that he was up to his elbows in the Equitable grafting, apart from the fact that he drew \$20,000 a year in salary without returning any reasonable equivalent therefor, a man who can distinguish between a moral and a legal obligation, as far as the fulfillment of that obligation is concerned, is not entitled to any place of responsibility or honor.

The time for the jester of the Vanderbilt court to step out of the public view has come. The stockholders of the Equitable want him no longer, he is misrepresenting the people of New York in the United States Senate. He should retire now to an obscurity that will be altogether grateful to the American public.

AN ENCOURAGING SIGN.
Governor Folk of Missouri says that those who find in the recent exposures of graft and thievery in public office a sign that the country is going to the dogs are wrong. Instead of being an indication of decadence it is really an indication that the people are awakening, that the country is becoming better, not worse, that the public conscience has been quickened. In an interview given out in Jefferson City the other day, Governor Folk said:

"The hunt for hoodlums and grafters now going on from one end of the country to the other is an evidence not of moral degeneration, but of a moral awakening. Up to three years ago there had been only thirty-four cases of bribery reported in the books in the preceding 100 years of our country's history. Then came the revelations in St. Louis, followed by other cities, and the people awoke to how they were being plundered by the most official. This condition should encourage all lovers of good government. We have passed through the commercial age, when the chief end and aim was to acquire wealth; we are entering now into the age of high ideals. The question is now not how to get rich, but how to do right. The rule of the dollar is not so potent as it was, and the reign of law is becoming more accepted."

There are those who will sneer at Governor Folk's cheerful optimism, but the records show that it is justified. There is still, perhaps, a large percentage of the citizenship of the United States that considers the dollar the most blessed thing in life, that is striving for wealth and desiring it to the exclusion of all else and regardless of the rights of others. But recent events have demonstrated quite clearly that the rule of the dollar is over. Witness the statement published not long ago that there are twelve bankers serving prison sentences in Ohio.

Witness the conviction of Senator Burton of Kansas and the more recent conviction of Senator Mitchell of Oregon for grafting. Can any man say in the face of these facts that wealth and power are still able to protect their possessors, no matter what they do?

WILLETT ON THE BIBLE.
Professor Willett of the University of Chicago has come out with an attack on the Bible from an entirely new point of view. In the opinion of the professor the Bible is a very crude piece of work. It is not entitled to rank among the great masterpieces of literature. But hear the Chicago man:

"The Bible is a fragmentary book. From the standpoint of a writer it is inferior. It is very disproportionate in its discussion of its events in many places. For instance, twenty years of the greatest importance in the reign of Samuel are passed over in two verses. The reign of King Solomon is passed over in the same way. The same trouble is encountered in the New Testament. No one will believe we have the complete life of Christ told by Matthew, Mark, Luke or John. The reason is the Bible is not concerned with political history."

The theory that the Bible was intended to be a complete history of the men and times of which it treats was long since abandoned. It is, indeed, fragmentary in this respect. We doubt, though, if many will agree with professor Willett that the book is fragmentary. There are few writers whose style would not be improved by a close study of the Bible, few who could not gather from it inspiration for better work. For lucidity, for masterly directness, for limpid diction the Bible has never been equaled.

And, after all, the test of any writing is the length of time it endures. The Bible has lived through many centuries and through them it has come down to us of today with its freshness unimpaired, its interest unabated.

Ex-Congressman Joy of Missouri was prevented from going with the Taft party to Manila because a dressmaker sued him for \$3,000 for gown that had been made for Mrs. Joy especially to wear on this junket. The dressmaker is a hateful old thing for sending the party Joy-less away.

As a great concession, the sultan of Turkey has consented to permit the sale of American Bibles in his domain. The sultan will doubtless remember to forget his promise before he is many days older.

The butchers of New York have combined in the erection of an abattoir with which they are going to compete with the meat trust. They will be lucky if the trust does not slaughter them in their own killing establishment.

The fact that the assessors have been able to find so little money on deposit in the banks of the county ought to make those of us who never had any money on deposit considerably better satisfied with our condition.

Lord Roberts says the English military establishment is inadequate to enable England to rank as a first-class power. "Bobs" knows how many soldiers he left in South Africa.

The Chicago city council has taken an adjournment until the first Monday in September. There's an example the Salt Lake City council might follow with profit to the taxpayers.

Commander Peary is still hustling for funds for his next polar expedition. However, we wouldn't venture to suggest that you rob the baby's bank for Peary's benefit.

BARON KOMURA MADE WELCOME

Japanese Envoy Passed Through
Chicago Yesterday.

J. HAM LEWIS WAS ON HAND

PARTY REMAINED ONLY A FEW
HOURS.

Chicago, July 24.—Baron Komura, Japanese minister of foreign affairs and plenipotentiary in the pending peace negotiations with Russia, arrived in Chicago today from St. Paul on the Burlington limited. Delegations were on hand to greet the visitors. One of the delegations, composed of Japanese merchants, students and professional men, was headed by the Japanese consul. A committee consisting of representative Chicago business men, city officials and others, including Corporation Counsel James Hamilton Lewis, were also on hand to greet the Oriental party. The baron and suite were driven to the auditorium. Arrangements were made to leave on the Pennsylvania eighteen-hour train for New York. The day of Baron Komura in Chicago followed his original programme, which allowed him several hours rest here.

Hon. Thomas K. Bryan, who was vice president of the Columbian exposition, came into Chicago on Baron Komura's private car. Several years ago the baron was entertained at Mr. Bryan's home, "Elmhurst." The peace plenipotentiary, remembering the courtesy, telegraphed last night asking Mr. Bryan to board the baron's private car at Aurora and journey with the party to Chicago.

Corporation Counsel Lewis, representing Mayor Dunne, was introduced to the plenipotentiary by Mr. Bryan. Baron Komura thanked Colonel Lewis and expressed a desire to meet Mr. Dunne.

The peace commissioner said that he was not at this moment officially interested in the question of municipal ownership or operation of railroads, but that it was a good subject to be enlightened on.

In Japan," said the baron, "the government and operate the salt and tobacco works that produce revenue and the government's monopoly from an economic standpoint is a good thing. However, this question of public ownership is largely a question of environment and conditions."

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CHANCES ARE SMALL.

Land Commissioner's Opinion of
Uintah Reservation.
(Special to The Herald.)

Washington, July 24.—Land Commissioner Richards today received a letter from W. L. Curry, representing Union soldiers at Columbus, O., stating that large numbers of soldiers in Ohio contemplate going to Utah to register for Uintah lands and to act as agents for soldiers, and asking for advice. In reply the commissioner explains that only 1,000,000 acres are available for entry. He adds:

"From such information as this office possesses in regard to these lands, it is my opinion that the best land has been taken for Indian allotments and Indian grazing land, and that only a small portion of land that will be open for entry on Aug. 28 will be at all valuable. All the land to be opened will have to be irrigated in order to cultivate it, and all homestead entrymen will have to pay \$125 per acre as they make their final proof, with money goes to the Indians. I make this statement to you in order that soldiers who are contemplating going there to register for themselves and others may not be disappointed if they do not succeed in obtaining desirable land, provided the names are drawn in such order as to permit them to make entry."

**LAWYER PATRICK'S
LIFE LENGTHENED**

New York, July 24.—Justice O'Brien of the court of appeals has granted an order staying the execution of Lawyer Albert T. Patrick, convicted of the murder of William M. Rice, the aged Texas millionaire in this city, pending the hearing and determination of the argument upon the motion for a reargument of his case. The time for the argument has been fixed for October 2 next. The application for stay of execution was granted on the contention of David B. Hill, counsel for the condemned man, that important points have been overlooked by a majority of the court in affirming the judgment of conviction.

A copy of the papers in the motion for the stay together with a copy of the order of Justice O'Brien was served on District Attorney Jerome today.

Many people are afraid of ghosts. Few people are afraid of germs. Yet the ghost is a fancy and the germ is a fact. If the germ could be magnified to a size equal to its terrors it would appear more terrible than any fire-breathing dragon. Germs can't be avoided. They are in the air we breathe, the water we drink.

The germ can only prosper when the condition of the system gives it free scope to establish itself and develop. When there is a deficiency of vital force, languor, restlessness, a salivary check, a bow bow, when the appetite is poor and the sleep is broken, it is time to guard against the germ. You can fortify the body against all germs by the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It increases the vital power, cleanses the system of clogging impurities, enriches the blood, puts the stomach and organs of digestion and nutrition in working condition, so that the germ finds no weak or tainted spot in which to breed. Golden Medical Discovery contains no alcohol, whiskey or other intoxicant.

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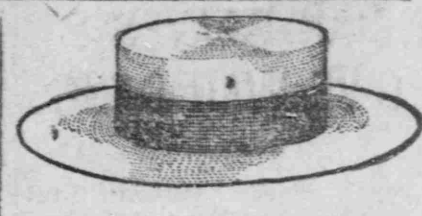
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